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Hon. James Orenstein
Magistrate Judge
United States District Court
for the Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: *In re Holocaust Victim Assets Litig.*
Application of Burt Neuborne - CV-06-983 (ERK)(JO)

Dear Judge Orenstein:

As I informed your chambers earlier today, I have a sudden conflict that has emerged for our scheduled status hearing next Tuesday at 2 pm. I received a call this afternoon from the Senate Judiciary Committee asking that I testify at exactly that time next week with regard to the renewal of the Voting Rights Act. I apologize for the inconvenience, but I do feel some obligation to present testimony, with your Honor's permission.

I have communicated to the other counsel that the Court has time possibly available for us on May 18th in the morning. That date works for all of us and we can reschedule to that time if the Court so directs.

Again, my apologies for the dislocation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Samuel Issacharoff".

cc: Samuel J. Dubbin, P.A.
Robert A. Swift